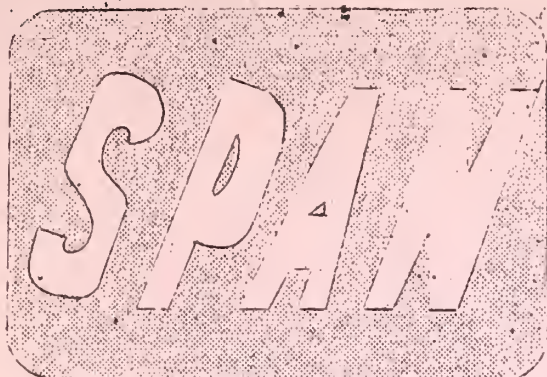


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BIRTHDAYS APRIL 22 THRU 28th

Clifford A. Kurth*; William Henry Schreiner; Charles S. Lewis*; Edward F. Wilson*; Onno V. Beaver; Joseph L. Brans; Bella Dodek; Allen B. Musick; Richard F. Richter; Thelma M. Toebe; Peter F. Patte; Gordon B. Gilmore; Robert E. Morris; Harry D. Clarke; Eugenia M. Poplawski; Robert E. Rader; Percy W. Smith; John J. Wilhelm; Ray E. Cannon; Dorothy J. Wagner; Harry O. Lutz; Bessie Mai Allen*; Wilbur Morse; Malcolm Wehrung; Clarence Strange*.
* Military Furlough

WANTED: Girl to share room in Jefferson Hotel. For further details call MAIN-4600, Room 556 after 6 p.m.

WANTED: Roommate (girl)

Call Gerry Ragland, Ext. 360

FOR SALE: Sandals, silver "evening" open toe strap, high heels, 8AA, \$6.00. No stamp required. Call Station 568.

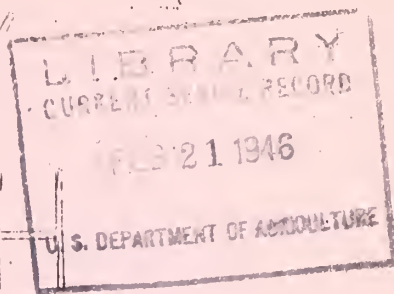
FOR SALE: Accordion, Lyric, 120 base, excellent condition. Call Eva F. Dunham, Ext. 517.

SEVENTH WAR LOAN DRIVE

This is just a reminder that bond pledges under the additional payroll deduction plan must be turned in not later than April 25 -- which will cover 5 pay periods starting April 30 and ending June 30.

The cornerstone of wisdom is laid when a person gets wise to himself.

MAY 18TH



ANNUAL BIRTHDAY PARTY POSTPONED ONE WEEK

Due to the death of President Roosevelt the REA Annual Birthday Party has been postponed a week in observance of the official 30-day mourning period.

Don't forget the party will be MAY 18th in the Gold Room of the Jefferson Hotel.

BASEBALL FANS

We are going out to see the game on May 1st between

St. Louis Browns vs Cleveland Indians
209 Strong

If you enjoy it and are satisfied with the seats, which we are sure you will be, we can obtain the same location "Sections M-R" for Friday night May 11 for the game between the

St. Louis Browns vs Washington Senators providing we have at least 100 as the Browns' Office will not give rates for less. We must have your names as soon as possible. You can pay April 23 (payday).

Call "Buchanan", Extension 295 or call at Room 240.

ATTENTION REA GOLFFERS

In order that scores may be averaged and handicaps figures for the annual REA Golf Tournament, please send your scores to F. Spoh, Room 1050.

10 YEARS OR MORE GOVERNMENT SERVICE

Allen B. Musick, 10 years, 7 months
(3 years in REA)

Gordon B. Gilmore, 20 years, 10 months
(3 years, 1 month in REA)

Percy W. Smith, 11 years, 6 months
(8 years, 8 months in REA)

CREDIT UNION

Interest Rates on Credit Union Loans are surprisingly low! Call 570 and find out for yourself!

BOWLING STANDINGS AS OF APRIL 19, 1945

Team	Won	Lost	Percent	Average	High Game	High Set
Eaters	58	26	.690	734	899	2577
Solicitors	57	27	.678	75	890	2536
Radars	56	28	.666	688	870	2472
Five Deuces	42	42	.500	659	856	2245
Kilo-ettes	42	42	.500	643	812	2333
Five Aces	41	43	.488	691	884	2233
Sweater Girls	40	44	.476	637	807	2393
Ruralettes	39	45	.464	643	822	2339
Administrators	38	46	.452	713	810	2368
Managettes	36	48	.428	617	752	2155
Operators	34	50	.404	684	846	2384
Terry's Pirates	22	62	.261	615	770	2215

DIDJAKNOWTHAT

Murder will out....for sometime now it has been suspected that the A.P. boys had bees in their bonnets but, beyond a shadow of a doubt it has now been proved insofar as the domain over which B. Nivison reigns supreme. Ossie Briden, Disputation UnLtd., of the D&Cers made a call on his confreres of the A.P.Diviz and perhaps one of the little "buzzers" became incensed at the dissertations of Le Briden and decided to do something about it. He sprang for Ossie's not-too-well covered pate with every intention of lighting there and pushing. No one would expect the A.P. boys to admitting to the need of a fly swatter to say nothing of requisitioning one so it behooved his hosts to find a missile with which to slay that one with murderous intent. They did----grabbing a batch of handy Work Orders----they made short work of Mr. Bee and also for the first time set some sort of a record for those little W/O's.....unanimity on handling. But once again Ossie is now safe for bigger and better arguments. That must have been some party which E. Wetjen attended for unless one could be mistaken Emily came home with the table decorations and can now be seen flitting hither and thither using it for a chapeau. Perhaps it was the same party which C. Sutton attended, for the following morning Corinne had to sit at her desk all day and couldn't go out until the shades of night had fallen. Imagine one of the shining lights of the M. B. Diviz being seen with shoes that didn't even speak to each other - no relationship at all.



ODE(ious)

Down the alley went Ruby's last ball
A strike! they cried, and they did fall
The night was over, she'd won the game
And Blechle's name was in the Hall of Fame.

Ross Edwards, who used to hold forth in the Procurement Section, and Jo Claire, pretty daughter of Inez Bray, middle-aisled in Washington, D. C. Ross is on his 15 day furlough before going overseas. George Bradbury, now Cpl. B., on furlough from the Fins, has a brand new medal for good conduct which he is

BOWLING (CONT'D)

MEN

High Ave. - Bullock,	163	Reno	149
High Game - Adams,	245	Kick	213
High Set - Farmer,	584	Reno	505

WOMEN

*LOST: Stainless steel ruler
*with a leather case. If found, *
*call M. Zugel, Sta. 532. *

sending along to Evelyn in the hopes that she will keep her eye on that and do her best in future performance. Margaret Morris received a log-art picture from her husband....It didn't make her jealous, however, as they were her husband's legs in Scottish Kilts. June Leister blushing as red as a little radish because she's been married such a short time she gave her maiden name instead of her new one when she started working. Felix Cocchetti of the T.S.Diviz has a plan whereby our borrowers can eliminate meters which he explained to an enthralled class of JMT'rs----all femme's. Capt. A. Sukrow, formerly of the M.M.Diviz., stopped by on his way from Dayton where he'd seen both Lt. Col. Fred Vreeland and Capt. Louis Stephens. So much time here was spent in reminiscence that Arnold barely caught his train----that would have been tragedy 'cause he was trying to get back to his Post at Key Field, Miss., in time to beat the sterks's 2nd visit. S. Sanders explaining the bump on her nose by that time-worn gag....she ran into a door...tsh...tsh...Capt. Herrick Thomas, son of L. Thomas of the T.S.Diviz, was awarded the Bronze Star for outstanding professional ability and selfless devotion to our wounded in France...working as Asst. Regimental Surgeon, under adverse conditions and oftentime under enemy fire. HERE, THERE, AND EVERYWHERE: Ed. Speh walking on fluffy white clouds---Flora presented him with a 5 lb. baby girl. Jo DiMercurio taking care of the British Navy. The gals in the Steno. Pool are quite thrilled about having a man in their midst. How Frank Genovese, the man, feels about it should be quite a different story. It was a girl - Linda Carrol - that caused M. Leise to pass out "those hard to gets". Lt. Walter Carpenter (USNR), former T.S.D.'er dropped in to see his cronies last week. He was on his way back to Galveston from a visit with his family in Va. Over the other came news of Sgt. Bill Wise, the petite barrister, who was reporting from France. E. Lincoln has reverted to her childhood with a case of scarlet fever. Now at 10-284, instead of dashing over to Thompson's for a cup of coffee, all the CODers take their temperature and scan each other for any sign of that telltale rash. Eleanor Miller elated over news that her brother has just been released from a German Prison Camp.

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